

## The Intelligencer.

OFFICE: No. 15 Quincy Street.  
SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 1872.

National Union Republican Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
**ULYSSES S. GRANT.**

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
**HENRY WILSON, of Massachusetts.**

For Presidential Electors.

AT LARGE,  
**WM. E. STEVENSON, of Wood.**  
**THOMAS B. SWANN, of Kanawha.**

DISTRICTS,  
1st—**CHARLES F. SCOTT, of Ritchie.**  
2d—**THOMAS R. CARSKADON, of Mineral.**  
3d—**JOSEPH H. NASH, of Kanawha.**

To the People of West Virginia.  
At the earnest solicitation of numerous citizens from all parts of the State, I have consented to be an independent candidate for re-election for the office of Governor.

## The Annual Fustade.

As that season of affliction, the Fourth of July, is close at hand, it is time to raise the question whether something cannot be done to lessen its horrors and alleviate the sufferings of the public. Under a villainous practice that has grown up of commemorating the day with all the diabolical uproar that can be produced by gunpowder and fulminate, the cities of the country are for twenty-four hours placed under bombardment—in a state of siege, practically—when invalids and sick people endure untold torments; when well people venture out, on foot or in vehicles, at the risk of mutilation and death, and when their houses are continually exposed to the peril of fire; while the explosions that rack the ear, whether within doors or without, are especially taxing on the nerves of women and destructive of the comfort of all. Now people have a right to be secure against these annoyances and dangers; and our city government pretends to protect them in that right. It is to obtain such protection that they are taxed. It was to enforce that protection that the City Council long ago enacted that

"It shall be unlawful for any person to fire or discharge within such parts of the city which are or shall be laid out in lots, or within 500 feet of said limits, any cannon, gun, pistol, or fire arms, or any crackers, squibs, rockets or fire works, except it be in case of necessity, or in the discharge of some police duty, or at a military parade by order of the officer in command, or with the permission of the Mayor of the City." [Sec. 25—Chapter 24 City Ordinance.]

The penalty of every such offence is "a fine of not less than \$1, nor more than \$50, and if the fine be not paid the offender may be sent to the Chain Gang till the fine and costs are paid but for not longer than 30 days. [Sec. 40 same Chapter.]

This is a very proper enactment, but it has never been enforced, so far as we are aware. We suppose the City Sergeant and his deputies are not aware of its existence; and we print it out now for their information. Those who think they can not get through the Fourth without from twelve to twenty hours of deafening explosions can take their gunpowder and pistols, and retired spot outside of the city limits and tickle their hungry tympanums to their heart's delight; but there are many thousand people in the city who will be obliged to stay at home on that day and night, who do not crave any part in the bombardment, who don't want to have their ears tortured by the detonations of small cannon or pistols, torpedoes or Chinese crackers, who don't want to be mutilated by flying fragments, bullets, slugs or wads, who don't want to have their necks broken by runaway teams—who do want, in short, to be let alone in the enjoyment of their civil liberties; and it is in their behalf that we call upon the officers of the city to do their plain duty, to enforce the law, and to protect the city, in person and property, against the annual bombardment on the coming Fourth. We do not want to see any legitimate enjoyments of Young America curtailed and we know "boys will be boys;" but this kind of amusement is not legitimate, interfering as it does with the comfort of thousands who cannot escape the annoyance, and endangering person and property.

Let the officers do their duty, and enforce the law. They are preparing to put down the practice in other cities. It is high time it was done here.

## The Rising Tide.

All the intelligence that comes to us from the interior respecting the gubernatorial contest, is of the same character, viz: that Gov. JACOBS will be cordially and unanimously supported by the Republicans, and that he will receive the votes of a very large number of Democrats in every county. The double-headed newspaper clique, which has one mouthpiece in Charleston and one here, will find their people don't obey the lash as they used to do. Times are changing and people with them. When HORACE GREELY is the candidate of the Democratic party for President, it is not much use to bawl "party discipline" at intelligent men.

## P. W. &amp; K. Railway Extension.

It is in contemplation, as our readers know, to extend the Pittsburgh, Wheeling & Kentucky Railroad to the Kentucky line. The *Wheeling News* says the engineers estimate the cost of a survey at \$10,000, and that the following contributions, based on tax basis, will be asked from the counties named:

Marshall	\$1,475 14
Wetzel	540 87
Clermont	665 10
Lincoln	290 08
Wood	1,463 58
Jackson	935 41
Calhoun	2,239 49
Chaplin	730 49
Wayne	610 00
Total	\$10,000 00

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## BONDING CITIES TO BUILD RAILROADS.

Some Things for the People of Wheeling, and Especially for Council, to Think About.

The following article is from that excellent financial authority, the *New York Commercial Bulletin*. It deserves to be thoughtfully considered by the members of the City Council:

There are significant signs that the mania for building new railroads has reached its last stages of exhaustion. The public, both home and abroad, have been so surfeited with the issues of our new roads, that it is found difficult to negotiate any bonds, except those issued by roads of more than ordinary promise and which are backed by capitalists of the highest standing. Under these circumstances, railroad promoters have hit upon the expedient of borrowing the credit of cities or counties on the route of the road, which is regarded as strengthening the credit of the road itself. It is proposed to build a new Pacific road, to a large extent, upon the credit of two cities, St. Louis and San Francisco, each city to contribute \$10,000,000 of bonds; and in Ohio and Iowa the same policy is being adopted in many places, upon a smaller scale.

Now, it appears to us that cities should think twice before they commit themselves to any responsibilities of this character. It is doubtless a very convenient resort of railway speculators, when they expect to build the road, to take into their scheme a few city politicians and through their aid get the endorsement of a whole population. They thus get a security which can be easily marketed, and the completion of the road is assured. But does it equally answer the purpose of cities to contract these obligations? We very much fear that the history of some of our cities will sooner or later supply a sad negative to this question. As a rule, a railroad which cannot command the confidence of investors upon its own merits is in lack of intrinsic resources that it ought not to receive the pecuniary support of a city government. Cities are not organized for any such purpose; and the moment the people, in their corporate capacity, become speculators in railroad ventures, they enter on a path the legitimate end of which is civic bankruptcy. Let it but once be understood by the politicians of our cities that they can lend the credit of the corporation to any scheme that comes along, and they at once discover a new opening for corruption and it becomes a part of their business to barter away the city credit to any plausible speculation that may seem to offer some local advantage.

As the finances of our cities are now conducted it is no easy task for them to maintain their credit for purposes coming within the strict scope of civic government; and if cities are to take part in railroad enterprises, sharing in their peculiar risks, lenders will regard city debts as having become liable to an indefinite expansion, and will naturally reject them except at a heavy discount. We do not understand how St. Louis or San Francisco can afford to spend such ten millions upon building a railroad to run through unsettled country, when as young cities they may find it necessary to borrow large amounts for strictly local improvements; they certainly cannot do it without incurring serious injury to their credit.

This system of bonding cities for railroad purposes should be regarded as throwing doubt upon any undertaking that seeks such support. It is a confession of intrinsic weakness, and places the road in the position of a decrip merchant whose paper cannot be negotiated without an endorsement; while it places the city in the position of the deluded endorser, who, experience proves, has in too many cases to pay a debt for which no equivalent has been received.

## The Use of Lemons.

A correspondent says: "I do not think there is a humbler quality of lemon juice used generally as its valuable qualities would seem to commend. I know of nothing better as a stomachic corrective as well as a strengthener of the nervous system. We all know that it is used for rheumatism, and I have no doubt it is also good for the gout, if taken regularly three times a day, and at least half a gill at a time. It can be taken in much water or little water, or no water at all. It is not unpleasant, one soon becomes accustomed to it, and would sooner take it than pure water. For the headache it is the best cure I have used; it will relieve it in ten to fifteen minutes at a single dose. I would not advise less than half a gill at a time. I know people who take it as a preventive of disease and as a refreshment in hot weather. It quenches thirst also better than anything else. There may be, however, excess in the use of lemons as in other things. The acid of this fruit—citric acid—is said to be the emulsion of the body when taken too freely.—*American Artist*.

## Bluff Ben Wade on the Democracy and Greeley.

Hon. Ben Wade has written a letter in which he speaks as follows in regard to the Democratic party and Greeley: "When a great political party has become so consciously depraved that they feel there is no hope for reform, suicide may perhaps in such cases be a virtue, and such seems to be the condition of the Democratic party at this time. By adopting Mr. Greeley as their standard bearer, they deliberately admit, if they are honest, that the poorest, weakest, most vacillating and uncertain Republican is an improvement on anything to be found in their own party." Concerning the Republican party he says: "To doubt the success of such a party, when pitted against the broken cohorts of the old slavery party, is an insult to the intelligence and virtue of the American people."

## Inquiry for a West Virginia Family.

SEATTLE, W. T., May 31, 1872.  
Editor of *Niles*: In the year 1864 or 1865, a gentleman by the name of John Halstead, from Brooke county, or the neighborhood of Wheeling, was killed by the Indians near this place. At the time of his death Mr. Halstead had a wife and three children living in West Virginia. His heirs will find out something to their advantage by writing to the undersigned.  
W. H. WHITE.

## MARRIED.

WELLS—MARTIN—On Thursday evening, June 27, 1872, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. D. M. Martin, by the Rev. W. A. Martin, M. W. A. of Wheeling, W. Va., Miss Alice U. Wells, of Martin's Ferry, Ohio.

## DIED.

MORAN—On Friday afternoon, June 28, 1872, at 6 o'clock, FRANCIS MORAN, of the funeral will take place from Wheeling Hospital this Saturday afternoon at half-past 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

## Special Notices.

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WHEELING, W. VA., June 29, 1872.

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## New Advertisements.

STREET PREACHING.

—Tomorrow (Sunday) at 4 p. m. there will be Street Preaching, as follows: Second Ward Market House, by the Rev. W. H. Morton.

Fifth Ward Market House, by the Rev. T. K. Hughes.

Best Wheeling Glass Works, by the Rev. E. J. Stone.

Public cordially invited. jels

FOURTH ST. M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching to-morrow (Sunday) by the Pastor, (Dr. Westwood) at 10 a. m. and 7 1/2 p. m. Sunday School at 2 p. m. All cordially invited. jels

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, John street.

Free seat system. To-morrow at 10 a. m. and 7 1/2 p. m., sermons by Rev. M. S. Williams, of New Philadelphia, Ohio. Two o'clock Sunday School review day. Address by Rev. M. S. Williams. Welcome! welcome! jels

Greeley and Brown Club.

A meeting of the Greeley and Brown Campaign Club will be held this (Saturday) evening, at their Club Room in the third story of the building formerly occupied by the Register office, Market street. By order of jels

THE COMMITTEE.

ST. PATRICK'S MUTUAL RELIEF SOCIETY.

The members of St. Patrick's Mutual Relief Society are invited to meet at their Hall, this afternoon, at half past two o'clock, to attend the funeral of our deceased brother, Francis Moran. By order of jels

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